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COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)					Docket No. 17272			
In Re Application	Of: Tsutomu Okada							
Application No. 10/718,189	Filing Date November 20, 2003	Examiner Peter J. Vrettakos	Customer No). (Group Art Unit Confirmation N 3739 9810			
Invention: DIA	THERMIC CUTTER							
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 5/15/2006 in the above-identified application. The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):								
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from: 8/15/2006 until: 9/15/2006								
The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:								
		CLAIMS AS AME	NDED					
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE		
TOTAL CLAIMS	13 -	32 =	0	×	\$50.00	\$0.00		
INDEP. CLAIMS	2 -	3 =	0	x	\$200.00	\$0.00		
			FEE FOR A	MEI	NDMENT	\$0.00		
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME \$120.00								
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME \$120.00								
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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:								
	A check in the amount of for the amendment an	d extension of time is enclosed.						
X	Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-1013/SSMP in the amou	unt of \$120.00						
The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1013/SSMP								
	Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16. Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.							
X	If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-1013/SSMP.							
Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.								
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	Signature	ated: September 15, 2006						
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